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December 6, 2012

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

Re:

Petition of PPL Electric Utilities

Corporation for Approval of its Act 129

Phase II Energy Efficiency and

Conservation Plan

Docket No. M-2012-2334388

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed please find the Office of Consumer Advocate's Notice of Intervention and Public Statement in the above-referenced proceeding.

Copies have been served as indicated on the enclosed Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

cc:

Hon. Dennis J. Buckley, ALJ

Office of Special Assistants

Certificate of Service

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BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Petition of PPL Electric Utilities

For Approval of its Act 129 Phase II

Docket No. M-2012-2334388

Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan :

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.71-74, the Office of Consumer Advocate hereby gives Notice of Intervention in the above-captioned proceeding. A copy of all correspondence and notices, documents, orders or other communications with respect to the above-captioned proceeding should be addressed to the following:

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PUBLIC STATEMENT OF THE OFFICE OF CONSUMER ADVOCATE PURSUANT TO 71 P.S. SECTION 309-4(e)

Act 161 of the Pennsylvania General Assembly, 71 P.S. Section 309-2, as enacted July 9, 1976, authorizes the Consumer Advocate to represent the interests of consumers before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission. In accordance with Act 161, and for the following reasons, the Consumer Advocate determined to intervene and participate in the Petition of PPL Electric Utilities Corporation for Approval of its Act 129 Phase II Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan before the Commission.

On November 15, 2012, PPL Energy Company (PPL or Company) filed its Petition and Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission pursuant to Section 2806.1 of the Public Utility Code and pursuant to the Implementation Order entered by the Commission at Docket Nos. M-2008-2069887 and M-2012-2289411 on August 3, 2012. The Company plans to reduce annual energy consumption by at least 821,072 million MWh by May 31, 2016 by implementing thirteen energy efficiency programs. Specifically, the Company has proposed the following programs for its residential class: (1) Appliance Recycling Program, (2) Residential Retail Program, (3) Residential Energy-Efficiency Behavior and Education Program, (4) Low-income WRAP program, (5) E-Power Wise Program, (6) Residential Home Comfort Program, (7) Student and Parent Energy-Efficiency Education Program, (8) Low income Energy-Efficiency Behavior & Education Program, and (9) Master Metered Low-income Multifamily Housing Program.

The Consumer Advocate intervenes in this proceeding to protect the interests of PPL's customers; to ensure that the proposed Plan and programs are in accordance with the law; and to ensure that any increase in rates resulting from the adoption of the proposed programs and any related expenses are just and reasonable.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Petition of PPL Electric Utilites Corporation

For Approval of its Act 129 Phase II

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Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing, the Office of Consumer Advocate's Notice of Intervention and Public Statement, upon parties of record in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54 (relating to service by a participant), in the manner and upon the persons listed below:

Dated this 6th day of December 2012.

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